

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Dear Grove City College Student,

The staff at Zerbe Health and Wellness Center would like to take this opportunity to welcome you and to familiarize you with Health Center services and policies.

Below is a checklist of the required forms to be mailed to and received by the Health Center **no later than August 1, 2023**.

Required Health Form Checklist:

1. Report of Medical History (7 pages), including Physical (page 3) signed by a physician _____
2. Immunization Record, including meningitis vaccine (see page 4 for required vaccines) _____
3. Meningitis Vaccine Waiver, if declining _____
4. Consent for Treatment (page 6) _____

Please note, routine physical exams are not done at the Health Center. Students participating in varsity athletics will have a pre-participation physical for their sport completed at the Health Center, but they must still have the health forms, including a physical exam, completed prior to arrival on campus.

ALL REQUIRED HEALTH FORMS ARE DUE BY AUGUST 1, 2023. Please mail to:

Amy Pagano MSN RN
Zerbe Health and Wellness Center
Grove City College
100 Campus Drive
Grove City, PA 16127

FAILURE TO RETURN FORMS: Students who do not complete the required forms by the deadline will have a “hold” placed on their account, in which case they would not be permitted to register for classes, access grades, or request transcripts.

QUESTIONS: The Health Center is closed during the months of June and July. If you have any questions regarding these forms or the Health Center, please email Mrs. Gordon at gordonzc@gcc.edu or Mrs. Pagano at aepagano@gcc.edu. You should expect a response within 48 hours.

HEALTH CENTER HOURS: Monday through Friday: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Saturday: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Sunday: CLOSED

PHYSICIAN HOURS: Monday through Friday beginning at 3:00/4:00 PM - by appointment only until all patients are seen. Please call 724.458.3850 to schedule an appointment.

In addition to physician services, students may see a nurse throughout the day, by appointment, to receive treatment for minor illnesses and injuries. Over the counter medications, hot and cold packs, crutches/other orthopedic supplies, and first aid/wound care supplies are available at no additional cost to the student.

It is mandatory that all entering students have a pre-admission physical examination by their family physician. It is also required that all mandatory immunizations are up to date.

Under Pennsylvania law, students must receive vaccination against meningococcal disease if they wish to live in a residence hall. Students must provide written proof of having received the vaccine from their health care provider. If a student chooses to not receive the vaccine based on medical, religious, or other strong beliefs, a waiver must be signed. If the meningitis vaccine has already been given before the age of 16, a booster dose is recommended.

Consent for treatment is required for all students enrolled at the College to receive care at the Zerbe Health and Wellness Center. *If you will be under the age of 18 when you begin the school year, your parent or guardian must sign the Consent for Treatment of a Minor form.*

We would again like to welcome you to Grove City College and look forward to assisting you with your healthcare needs.

Please submit all required forms no later than August 1, 2023. Transfer students may obtain medical records from their previous school to submit with the required forms.

Sincerely,

Amy Pagano MSN RN
Director/Head Nurse
Zerbe Health and Wellness Center